

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 BRIDGE 01048 242229Z

64

ACTION ARA-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SNM-02 /013 W

----- 033237

R 242001Z JUN 75

FM AMEMBASSY BRIDGETOWN

TO US CUSTOMS SERVICE HQS, WASHDC

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 9076

UNCLAS BRIDGETOWN 1048

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SNAR SOCI BB

SUBJ: REQUEST FOR U.S. CUSTOMS SERVICE SPEAKER

1. THE EMBASSY IS IN RECEIPT OF REQUEST FOR A U.S. CUSTOMS SERVICE OFFICER AS A SPEAKER IN THE FIELD OF NARCOTICS AT A "CONFERENCE FOR CUSTOMS CLERKS AND CUSTOMS BROKERS" WHICH IS TO BE HELD AT THE UNIVERSITY OF THE WEST INDIES IN BRIDGETOWN FROM 5-7 AUGUST 1975.

2. THE CONFERENCE IS SPONSORED BY THE BARBADOS CUSTOMS INSTITUTE WHICH IS A PRIVATE INSTITUTION FORMED IN 1970 TO PROVIDE TRAINING FOR BOTH COMMERCIAL AND GOVERNMENT SECTORS. IT RECEIVES NO FUNDING FROM THE GOB BUT IS LOANED BARBADOS CUSTOMS PERSONNEL AS LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS. AT PRESENT IT SPONSORS TWO 6-MONTH COURSES PER YEAR TRAINING 20 STUDENTS IN EACH.

3. THE INCITATION TO SPEAK WAS GIVEN BY REVEREND SINCLAIR RUDDER, REGISTRAR OF THE BCI WHOSE ADDRESS IS BARBADOS CUSTOMS INSTITUTE, BELMONT ROAD, ST. MICHAEL, BARBADOS.

4. COMMENT: THERE IS GROWING AWARENESS IN BARBADOS TO THE DANGER OF NARCOTICS. THE EMBASSY BELIEVES THAT EVERY OPPORTUNITY SHOULD BE TAKEN TO INCREASE THAT AWARENESS AND RECOMMENDS THAT THE U.S. CUSTOMS SERVICE PROVIDE SUCH A SPEAKER AND IS PREPARED TO FUND THE SPEAKER'S PER DIEM FROM POST FUNDS. IT IS REQUESTED THAT THE U.S. CUSTOMS RESPOND BY LETTER TO REV. RUDDER AND ADVISE EMBASSY TELEGRAPHICALLY WHETHER OR NOT SPEAKER CAN BE SENT TO BARBADOS.

UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 BRIDGE 01048 242229Z

SIMMS

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptoning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: CUSTOMS ADMINISTRATION, SPEAKERS, MEETINGS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 24 JUN 1975
Decapton Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decapton Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1975BRIDGE01048
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D750219-0619
From: BRIDGETOWN
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1975/newtext/t19750618/aaaaaqoz.tel
Line Count: 61
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ACTION ARA
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: ShawDG
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 14 MAR 2003
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <14 MAR 2003 by PhilliR0>; APPROVED <11 MAR 2004 by ShawDG>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
06 JUL 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: REQUEST FOR U.S. CUSTOMS SERVICE SPEAKER
TAGS: SNAR, SOCI, BB
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 06 JUL 2006